See that the brood sow gets the exercise she needs.

Sheep should not be fed ensilage except in small quantities.

planted some trees on the place.

It is said that barley furnishes as much nutriment as the same weight of

Don't overcrowd the chickens. Winter only as many as you can comfortably.

rag slightly moistened in water; never wash them. A teaspoonful of chloride of lime in

Clean dirty eggs with a woolen

a pint of warm water is said to relieve wind colic in horses. Have you been using the road drag?

If not, we hope you have an uneasy conscience. Get busy after the next The fallures that we make if wise

ly pondered and wisely used may guide us to the success we long to achieve.

power in the land, but it is only as up. they stand together on questions that affect their welfare that this holds

In feeding the hogs see that you do it in a clean place and in a clean way. On many a farm feed is wasted it is fed.

You can't count the wrinkles on the horns of the cow that has been dehorned so as to tell her age, so it is a good plan to keep a record book of your cows.

Did you help celebrate apple day by eating apples, talking apples and planning for more and better apple trees on your place? October 20 marked another advance step in the apple's popularity.

pounds Portland cement, dry paint frequently and break him to driving powder to give desired shade. This compound must be kept well stirred, as the cement settles. Stir up not more than one day's supply at a time.

How hard should the ground freeze before covering up the strawberry vines? Well, if it will hold a wagon un when driven over it you may conclude that it is time to put on the mulch. Don't put on too much at of covering as the weather increases in severity.

It is estimated by competent authorities that over 45 per cent. of the food products of the better classes in the United States consist of animal products. In other words, half of the amount spent for food of the and dairy products. This fact suggests why it pays the farmer to raise stock.

Again let us urge you not to leave the tools out to warp and rust in the winter storms. One winter's exposure will hurt them more than two or three years' use. Clean them up and have no tool house put them in the packing shed. A coat of paint applied now will add several years to the life of the woodwork of tools.

Corn shows by the different states are becoming popular. Illinois will have one the last of November. Indiana will hold one at Purdue university in January, and other states are in line for similar shows. Now, brother farmer, plan to attend one of these shows. See what the other fellow is doing and learn how you can improve on the quantity and the quality of your corn crop.

The Chicago health commission has forbidden the sale of milk from ordinary tin cans. All milk must now be delivered in sealed bottles. Nearly one-half of the infant mortality of the late summer and early fall often city is supposed to be traceable to bring in fair profits. On account of impure milk. It requires careful washing and constant care to keep a tin can in good condition. Few people know how to wash a can and those who do know apparently do not like the job. If you want any proof of this fact, take the cover off of any milk can that is being returned from any city and notice the nasty stench that meets your nostrils. The price of city milk is constantly advancing, so that farmers have hopes of getting best shape to look after all these demoney enough to pay them to keep it tails, we find it best to confine our clean and in prime condition.

Express your thanksgiving thanksliving.

Poultry for profit demands good quarters and good feed.

Stagnant water drunk by the cows is apt to cause stingy milk. Molasses as part of the feed ration

for the horse has proved its value. Keep tab on the markets and watch your chance to sell your crops at the

Oats make an ideal food for the prood sow. It will pay to keep her well fed up.

best price.

The American quail is a good bird to have on the farm, as he is an industrious insect eater.

More failures in hog breeding probably come from lack of good yards and fences than from any other cause.

A small flock of sheep on every farm should be the slogan of the or-Let not a year go by without having ganized farmers throughout the coun-

> Barns are cheaper than feed. Shelter well your livestock and make the high-priced feed go as far as post other crops do well, also stock and

> Roots as part of the ration for the sheep in the winter time are quite essential if you would take them through district, and poultry, pork, and garin good condition.

Sheep will never drink impure water. In putting your flock into winter quarters see that proper care is taken to provide adequate and clean water supply.

Notice how uneasy the horse is when the curry comb is being used on the legs. Most horses are very sensitive there. Try an old cloth to rub the dirt off.

When your pet theory has proved a failure, hasn't worked out as you expected, and there is no reasonable chance for its doing so, be man enough It has been said that farmers are a to admit your mistake, and give it

At Omaha the great corn show of the year is to be held December 9 to 19. At Chicago two great shows, the International Livestock show November 28 to December 10, and the National Dairy show from December because of the slovenly way in which 2 to December 10. Mark these dates with a blue pencil on your calendar and try to take in some one of them.

> The automobile is going some, but the horse seems to be holding his own against it. Don't be afraid to raise a few colts. Money in it. Prices for good horses were never better. The splendid exhibits of horses at our state and county fairs is proof enough that the interest in good horse breeding is growing.

Again we want to urge the importance of beginning early in the han-A cheap farm paint can be made ding and training of the colt. Get from one gallon of skim milk, three him used to the halter, handle him by putting a pair of lines to the halter and walking behind him. You will be surprised to see how soon he will learn to obey the commands to stop and to start and to stand still.

Rhubarb out of season is in good demand and brings a good price. When the roots are dug for forcing they should get a thorough freezing outdoors before they are taken into first, however. Increase the amount the forcing house. Also leave as much of the soil adhering to the roots as possible. These roots may be forced successfully in a mushroom house, or under a greenhouse bench, or in a cellar or cold-frame, setting the roots close together, filling in the hollow spaces between the roots with soil or leaf mold-anything to hold moisture. Every two weeks a fresh supply of average family goes for meat, eggs crowns may be brought in and planted to keep up a succession.

Most farmers think clover hay is not good for horses, but here is what a farmer friend had to say on this point the other day after having fed clover and mixed hay to his horses for several years: "If I had my choice between well-cured clover hay and put them away in the dry. If you nice, bright timothy, I would take the clover hay every time. Many farmers are of the opinion that horses will have the heaves if fed clover hay. I have raised a good many horses and have never had one yet that had the heaves as a result of eating clover hay. Of course a horse will sometimes eat more clover than is good for him if permitted to do so, because he relishes it better than timothy. But give him the amount you think he ought to have and let him go without until the next time."

> Fall pigs generally prove unprofitable unless the feeder can utilize feed that would otherwise be wasted in keeping them through the winter. Pigs that are kept through the winter make good gains when put on pasture in the spring, and when fattened in coming to maturity at the right time to breed for the spring litters, we have found them very desirable to keep for brood sows. The second senson gives them a great bone and muscle development at a low cost. Warm drinks, light, warm and dry quarters, succulent food, with frequent changes of bedding and diet, and a properly balanced ration, will insure good growth in winter; but unless we are in the feeding to spring pigs.

12 EXCELLENT WEATHER AND MAGNIFICENT CROPS

REPORTS FROM WESTERN CAN-ADA ARE VERY ENCOURAGING.

A correspondent writes the Winnipeg (Man.) Free Press: "The Pinch-Creek district, (Southern Alberta), the original home of fall wheat, where it has been grown without failure, dry seasons and wet, for about 25 years, is excelling itself this year. The yield and quality are both phenomenal, as has been the weather for its harvesting. Forty bushels is a common yield, and many fields go up to 50, 60 and over, and most of it No. 1 Northern. Even last year, which was less favorable, similar yields were in some cases obtained, but owing to the season the quality was not so good. It is probably safe to say that the average yield from the Old Man's River to the boundary will be 47 or 48 bushels per acre, and mostly No. 1 Northern. One man has just made a net profit from his crop of \$19.55 per acre, or little less than the selling price of land. Land here is too cheap at present, when a crop or two will pay for it, and a failure almost unknown. Nor is the district dependent on wheat, all dairying, and there is a large market at the doors in the mining towns up the Crows Nest Pass, and in British Columbia, for the abundant hay of the den truck. Coal is near and cheap. Jim Hill has an eye on its advantages, and has invested here, and is bringing the Great Northern Railroad soon, when other lines will follow." The wheat, oat and barley crop in

other parts of Western Canada show splendid yields and will make the farmers of that country (and many of them are Americans) rich. The Canadian Government Agent for this district advises us that he will be pleased to give information to all who desire it about the new land regulations by which a settler may now secure 160 acres in addition to his 160 homestead acres, at \$3.00 an acre, and also how to reach these lands into which railways are being extended. It might be interesting to read what is said of that country by the Editor of the Marshall (Minn.) News-Messenger, who made a trip through portions of it in July, 1908. "Passing through more than three thousand miles of Western Canada's agricultural lands, touring the northern and southern farming belts of the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, with numerous drives through the great grain fields, we were made to realize not only the magnificence of the crops, but the magnitude, in measures, of the vast territory opening, and to be opened to farming immigration. There are hundreds of thousands of farmers there, and millions of acres under cultivation, but there is room for millions more, and other millions of acreage available. We could see in Western Canada in soil, product, topography or climate, little that is different from Minnesota, and with meeting at every point many business men and farmers who went there from this state, it was difficult to realize one was beyond the boundary country."

A RUNNER-UP.



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A clergyman in an interior town married a woman from whom he received a dowry of \$10,000 and a prospect of more. Shortly afterwards, while occupying the pulpit, he gave out a hymn, read the first verse and proceeded to read the fifth, commencing:

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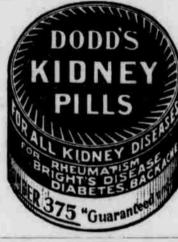
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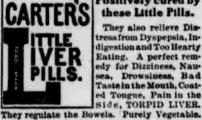
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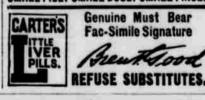


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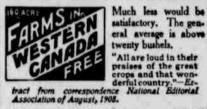
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